

such claims; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. AL GREEN of Texas (for himself, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. HARE, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. DELAULO, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas):

H.R. 2435. A bill to amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act to provide for criminal liability for willful safety standard violations resulting in the death of contract employees; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. HOOLEY (for herself, Mr. WU, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. HONDA, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. KIND):

H.R. 2436. A bill to strengthen the capacity of eligible institutions to provide instruction in nanotechnology; to the Committee on Science and Technology.

By Mr. ISRAEL (for himself, Mr. MATHESON, and Mr. SHIMKUS):

H.R. 2437. A bill to provide for the establishment of an energy efficiency and renewable energy finance and investment advisory committee; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. JORDAN (for himself and Mr. ELLSWORTH):

H.R. 2438. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to deter public corruption; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, and Mr. ETHERIDGE):

H.R. 2439. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reward those Americans who provide volunteer services in times of national need; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LYNCH (for himself, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. CARNEY, and Mrs. MALONEY of New York):

H.R. 2440. A bill to reauthorize the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. MATHESON (for himself, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. SALAZAR, and Mr. CANNON):

H.R. 2441. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow public school districts to receive no interest loans for the purchase of renewable energy systems, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCHUGH:

H.R. 2442. A bill to provide job creation and assistance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, the Judiciary, and Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. POE (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. BONO, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. DOYLE, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. HILL, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. BERRY, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. CAPUANO):

H.R. 2443. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to suspend the authority of the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to eliminate, consolidate, deconsolidate, colocate, or plan for the con-

solidation, deconsolidation, inter-facility reorganization, or colocation of, any air traffic control facility and services of the Administration; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. TIAHRT:

H.R. 2444. A bill to amend title 4, United States Code, to provide that it is especially appropriate to display the flag on Father's Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 2445. A bill to amend that Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to recognize Alexander Creek as Native village, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN):

H.R. 2446. A bill to reauthorize the Afghanistan Freedom Support Act of 2002, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Ms. WATSON, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RENZI, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. POE, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. GALLEGLY):

H. Con. Res. 151. Concurrent resolution noting the disturbing pattern of killings of dozens of independent journalists in Russia over the last decade, and calling on Russian President Vladimir Putin to authorize cooperation with outside investigators in solving those murders; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FALCOMA, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana):

H. Con. Res. 152. Concurrent resolution relating to the 40th anniversary of the reunification of the City of Jerusalem; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. GILCHREST (for himself, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. KIRK):

H. Con. Res. 153. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the need for a nationwide diversified energy portfolio, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN:

H. Con. Res. 154. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the fatal radiation poisoning of Russian dissident and writer Alexander Litvinenko raises significant concerns about the potential involvement of elements of the Russian Government in Mr. Litvinenko's death and about the security and proliferation of radioactive materials; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MCGOVERN (for himself, Mr. PITTS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. RUSH, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. SUTTON, Mr. FARR, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. DELAULO, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. WATSON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. LEE,

Mr. McDERMOTT, and Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin):

H. Res. 426. A resolution recognizing 2007 as the Year of the Rights of Internally Displaced Persons in Colombia, and offering support for efforts to ensure that the internally displaced people of Colombia receive the assistance and protection they need to rebuild their lives successfully; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H. Res. 427. A resolution urging the Government of Canada to end the commercial seal hunt; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ROGERS of Michigan:

H. Res. 428. A resolution raising a question of the privileges of the House.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. GILCHREST, and Mr. ACKERMAN):

H. Res. 430. A resolution calling on the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran to immediately release Dr. Haleh Esfandiari; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

67. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 64 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take action to investigate and provide remedies for those injured by the recent contamination of pet food and deaths of family pets; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

68. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 77 memorializing the Congress of the United States to fund fully the Select Michigan Agricultural Program through the United States Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

69. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 88 memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact the Passenger Bill of Rights Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XIII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 23: Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. ALLEN, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. BORDALLO, and Mr. COOPER.

H.R. 65: Mr. BARROW.

H.R. 67: Mr. SPACE, Mr. PEARCE, and Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 87: Mr. SHULER and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 98: Mr. NEUGEBAUER.

H.R. 123: Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 178: Mr. WATT.

H.R. 241: Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 372: Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 380: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. PATRICK MURPHY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 451: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.

H.R. 539: Mr. CUMMINGS and Mr. WALBERG.

H.R. 549: Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 554: Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 566: Mr. BURGESS.

H.R. 601: Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 612: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. McDERMOTT,

Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. WALZ.

H.R. 694: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 695: Mr. FERGUSON.